

## **MENOMONIE POLICE AND FIRE COMMISSION**

### **Minutes for November 15, 2021**

#### **Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 AM by Commission President Ron Sandfort at the City of Menomonie Council Meeting Room, 800 Wilson Avenue, Menomonie, Wisconsin 54751.

#### **Roll Call**

Those in attendance were: Commissioners Sandfort, Ley, Pierce and Spielman. Commissioner Miller had an excused absence. Also in attendance was Attorney Timothy J. O'Brien, from the law firm of Bakke Norman.

#### **Approval of minutes**

A motion to amend the agenda minutes to include old and new business. Motion by Pierce and seconded by Ley. Motion carried.

President Sandfort advised that there will be an interview with Levi Stumo at the Police Department with the Police Chief Atkinson and President Sanfort on Wednesday, November 17, 2021 for the purpose of possible employment with the Menomonie Police Department.

A motion by Ley, seconded by Pierce to hire Attorney Timothy J. O'Brien, Bakke Norman as legal counsel for the Commission for the purpose of Disciplinary Hearing pursuant to Wisconsin Statute Section 62.133 (5). Attorney O'Brien provided each Commissioner with a copy of the Procedures and Expected Conduct of Events, for the purpose of the upcoming hearing. He also shared past Police and Fire Commission events that he has been a part of over the years for the Commission's information.

A Court Recorder will be requested by Attorney O'Brien to record the minutes of the upcoming hearing. President Sandfort requested a motion to set a date of December 2, 2021, at 9:00 AM, in the Council Chambers for the purpose of the Statement of Charges filed pursuant to Wisconsin Statute section 62.13 by the Fire Chief Dennis Klass against Firefighter/Paramedic Joseph Wayne. Motion made by Ley, and seconded by Pierce.

#### **Adjournment**

Motion by Spielman and seconded by Pierce to adjourn. Motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 9:30 AM.

Respectfully submitted  
Dorian Spielman